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Subject: Water Quality Program and Water Use Efficiency Program Issue Papers

The following two issue papers are provided to facilitate discussions at the upcoming BDAC meeting. As stated in the cover memorandum for this packet, we will be evaluating the adequacy of the Program components to carry forward into the impact analysis phase of the Program.

The focus of the discussion of the water quality component will be on the overall composition of the Program and its adequacy to address water quality problems. Another area of consideration for BDAC is the role of CALFED in watershed protection to meet the water quality goals.

The focus of the discussion of the water use efficiency component will be to examine the approaches developed by CALFED, as a result of input and extensive discussions at the BDAC Water Use Efficiency Work Group meetings. Specific issues for BDAC consideration include: 1) adequacy of CALFED approach to provide assurance of agricultural water use efficiency, and 2) adequacy of CALFED approach to develop assurances for water use efficiency.

**Attachments**

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**CALFED Agencies**

**California**

The Resources Agency  
Department of Fish and Game  
Department of Water Resources  
California Environmental Protection Agency  
State Water Resources Control Board

**Federal**

Environmental Protection Agency  
Department of the Interior  
Fish and Wildlife Service  
Bureau of Reclamation  
Department of Commerce  
National Marine Fisheries Service